Liber H. S. Surety paying or tendering the Money, Tobacco, or other Goods, due No. I as aforesaid; and that the Assignee shall and may by Virtue of such Assignment and this Act, have an Action in his or her own Name, against the principal Debtor; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary notwithstanding.

against and satisfied by Sureties,

And be it Enacted, That where any Person or Persons hath recov-[Judgment ered, or shall recover, any Judgment against the principal Debtor and Surety, and such Judgment hath been, or shall be, satisfied by Sureties, that the Creditor shall be obliged to assign such Judgment to the Surety satisfying the same, and that the Assignee shall be entitled unto, and have the same Execution against the principal Debtor, by Virtue of such Assignment and this Act, as the Creditor might or ought to have had; and that where any Judgment hath been, or shall be, rendered against several Sureties, and one of them hath satisfied, or shall satisfy the whole, the Plaintiff, or Creditor shall be obliged to assign such Judgment to the Surety satisfying the same, and that the Assignee shall have, and be entitled to an Execution against the other Sureties, against whom Judgment hath been, or shall be, obtained by the principal Creditor, for a proportionable Part of the Debt or Damage paid by such Assignee; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary notwithstanding. Provided always, That no Defendant, or Defendants, shall be precluded or debarred of his or their Remedy against the Plaintiff, by Audita querela, or other Proceeding whatsoever; any Thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding. And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That upon all

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1Bonds, &c. Bonds, or other Obligations, under Seal, that have or shall be assigned signed and under Hand and Seal, the Assignee shall and may, by Virtue of such the Assignee Assignment, maintain an Action or Actions in his or her Name, against the Obligor or Obligors therein named; and if it shall happen that such Obligor or Obligors shall be unable to pay the Debt mentioned in such Obligation, or cannot be found in the Place or County p. 4 of his usual Abode, or any other Thing or Casualty should happen, whereby the Assignee should not be able to receive or recover his Debt from such Obligor or Obligors, that then, and in every such [In Case of Case, the like Action shall and may be maintainable, by such Assignee, Default of against the Obligee or Obligees in such Obligation mentioned; any signee.] Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary notwithstanding. Provided, That where any Debt shall be lost by the Negligence or Default of the Assignee or Assignees, that the Assignor or Assignors shall not be liable, any such Assignment notwithstanding.

Provided also, That no Action or Actions shall be maintained in the Name or Names of any Assignee or Assignees, unless the tained but by Assignor or Assignors have made or shall make Oath (or Affirma-Oath of the As- tion, if a Quaker) before some Magistrate, that he, she, or they, hath signor.] or have received no Part of the Sum mentioned in such Obligation,

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